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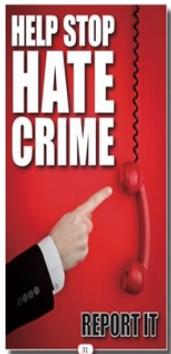


Well done to class R, 1, 3&4, who had 99.3% attendance last week.
The schools target is 97% **100%**

Date	Class	Event
Wed 4th March	Reception	Parent Inspire Workshop– 2pm
Wed 4th March	Yr5	Visit from the Fire Service
Thurs 5th March	all	World Book Day
w/b Mon 9th March	all	Sports Relief
Wed 11th March	Yr3	Inspire Parent Workshop-2pm
Wed 18th March	Yr 1	Inspire Parent Workshop-2pm
Thurs 19th March	Yr2	KS1 SATs parent information meeting-5pm

Value of the Month:

Creativity



Safety and Wellbeing

Hate incidents and hate crime are acts of violence or hostility directed at people because of who they are or who someone thinks they are.

Crimes committed against someone because of their disability, race, transgender-identity, religion or belief, or sexual orientation are hate crimes and should be reported to the police or via the **HATE CRIME APP** that can be downloaded.



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Message from Mrs Williams

Welcome back to the second half of the Spring term. Hopefully soon, we will see signs that spring is actually here. The new half term has started in full throttle.

Ancient Rome- Year 4

This week we have dived into our topic on Ancient Rome. In numeracy we made Roman bread by following the instructions and measuring the ingredients. We invited parents in to help us map out the spread of the Roman Empire and we even found names for old Roman cities when they invaded Britain. But the best part was trying the bread we had made plus olives and feta.



500 Word Challenge

A massive well done to Nahla- Year 4 and Eliza-Year 2 for completing the 500 word challenge!

Professor McGinty

Professor McGinty and Dr Hoot, who are time travellers, visited Year 5, to tell them about all the wonders of Ancient Egypt. From Egyptian bread, which contained manure and insects to examining old papyrus leaves, and even dressing up as Pharaohs.



Book Review

When I was in Year 6, my class teacher wound up each day ten minutes early. We zipped up our pencil cases, closed our exercise books and sat down to listen to Mrs Stevenson read. She told us the tale of a baby left on the doorstep of Number 4 Privet Drive, a baby with a lightning bolt shaped scar on his forehead and a destiny he could scarcely have imagined. This was the story of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone.

I went home each day begging my parents to buy this book for me - I wanted so badly to turn the pages and read along.

That Christmas, I unwrapped not one, not two, but four books - I'd been gifted the series right up to the Goblet of Fire. No Christmas before or since has beaten it. The rest of my childhood and teenage years were spent nose in a book and head in the clouds, eagerly awaiting my next adventure.

It goes without saying that I would recommend the Harry Potter series to anyone who hasn't yet read them. It's a tale of more than just magic, a tale that goes beyond the battles of good and evil. It's a tale of fun and friendship, of bravery, of overcoming your fears, and of doing the right thing - even when it's hard, even when it's scary, even when no one else will. Especially when no one else will.



PS. Watching the films doesn't count!!

Miss Fincher

Stars of the Week



Rec-Poppy & Norton for excellent phonics and reading, Ava for sensible attitude, Tobias for amazing writing & Amelie S-B for a brilliant shopping list!

Year 1-Ava L for wonderful phonics progress & Emily for great maths work!

Year 2- Kara-Louise for good work in maths this week & Ellison for always trying hard!

Year 3-Lexi for always being on track & Bentley for improved focus!

Year 4-All of Year 4 for great cooking, behaviour and all around GREATNESS!

Year 5-Mia for great effort in maths & Noah for a great discussion in PSHE!

Year 6-Tyler for a calm positive week & Roxanne for excellent subject knowledge and enthusiasm in topic!



Safeguarding and promoting welfare is everyone's responsibility